

AIM Total Score Sheet

Curriculum: Pearson: SF Grade Level: 5 Title: Interactive Science

Criteria/Component	Score	Weight	Weighted Total	Percent
<i>Content</i>				
Standards Alignment	<u>5</u>			
Accuracy	<u>5</u>			
Content Development	<u>1</u>			
Sequencing	<u>3</u>			
Context	<u>1</u>			
TOTAL: Content Criterion	<u>15</u>	x .35	=5.25	
<i>Work Students Do</i>				
Engaging Prior Knowledge	<u>3</u>			
Metacognition	<u>3</u>			
Abilities Necessary to do Scientific Inquiry	<u>1</u>			
Understandings About Scientific Inquiry	<u>3</u>			
Accessibility	<u>3</u>			
TOTAL: Work Students Do Criterion	<u>13</u>	x .20	=2.6	
<i>Assessment</i>				
Assessment System	<u>1</u>			
Quality	<u>3</u>			
Multiple Measures	<u>1</u>			
Use of Assessments	<u>3</u>			
Accessibility	<u>5</u>			
TOTAL: Assessment Criterion	13	X .20	=2.6	
<i>Work Teachers Do</i>				
Instructional Model	<u>3</u>			
Effective Teaching Strategies	<u>3</u>			
Teaching Strategies for Inquiry	<u>1</u>			
Support for the Work Teachers Do	<u>3</u>			
TOTAL Work Teachers Do Criterion	<u>10</u>	X .25	=2.5	
Grand Total			T =12.95	T/23.75 x 100 =54.52

The curriculum is very teacher guided. The lab activities are very scripted and directed. The lab activities do not have a lot of opportunity to create, analyze or extend on what they have done.